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BOYS ALL RIGHT AFTER THE PARADE YESTERDAY

Local Brigade Creates Quite a Sensation and Receive Cheers

TO ARRIVE HOME SUNDAY

Special to Effect That Brigade Members Are Enjoying Themselves to Utmost

"All the boys are in good shape after parade and having biggest time ever. Will be home Sunday night eleven thirty."

Capt. R. Dale Jolliffe.

This was the message received this morning by the Charleroi Mail, it being special dispatch from Washington, D. C. This interesting bit of news while not getting here until 8:34 this morning owing to the condition of the Western Union wires, was received with enthusiasm, when the bulletin was posted. The word was sent last night, but failed to get through.

In the parade yesterday the Charleroi Brigade made quite a sensation, it being rather odd for a Boy's Brigade going the distance, having such a good place in the parade as did the local boys. They were heartily cheered all along the line of march. The city papers gave them special mention.

Today the Boys are sightseeing and enjoying themselves in various ways. They may drill somewhat. The start on the homeward trip will be made sometime Sunday morning. At Pittsburg it is expected to connect with the midnight train for the valley and come up this way.

LIQUOR AGENT IS SENTENCED

For selling liquor without license at the model mining town of the world, Marianna, Pasqua Sorgeoanna was sentenced yesterday by Judge McIlvaine to serve three months in the county jail pay the costs of prosecution and fine of \$500. Sorgeoanna entered a plea of guilty to the charge. The information was made by Wilbur Swihart.

The arrest of Sorgeoanna was brought about by the sudden disappearance of William Swihart, a blacksmith of Marianna, on Tuesday night, February 16. After the disappearance an investigation showed that the blacksmith had been in the speakeasy of Sorgeoanna on that night, and that he had purchased whisky and wine from him.

Wilbur Swihart, a brother of the missing man, at once made the information against Sorgeoanna and his arrest followed.

Nonpareil Furniture Polish, regularly sold at the. This week for 18¢ only one bottle to a customer. Correll and Crowley, Theatre Bldg., McKean avenue.

See our \$2.00 Porch Rocker that we are selling this week, at \$1.25. Correll and Crowley, 3-3 McKean avenue.

Gas stoves and heaters below cost at Fleming's 505 McKean avenue 170tf

CROWD SHOUTS APPRECIATION OF TENER'S ACTION

Gravely Presents Diminutive Drum Major to the President.

Congressman John K. Tener of Charleroi made the heart of one little boy glad yesterday, and made him feel that he was the most important little personage in the whole world.

Mr. Tener met the Lincoln Club of New Brighton, with which he was to march, at the reviewing stand, at Washington, yesterday afternoon. This organization was led by Master Clifford Trumeter, a diminutive person, of but 10 years of age, as drum major. Mr. Tener stopped the club for an instant, and with a smile at the little fellow seized him and bearing him aloft presented him to President Taft, who greatly taken with the scene, most heartily shook hands with him. The immense crowd shouted its appreciation of the little affair.

When Mr. Tener let Master Trumeter down on his feet again, the lad went on with his company with a glowing smile, and the feeling that he was the supporter of Mr. Tener through thick and thin.

Pensyl-Gouzze

At the residence of Rev. J. T. Hackett pastor of the First Presbyterian church last evening a quiet wedding, that of Miss Virginia Gouzze and Mr. W. E. Pensyl occurred. The ceremony was performed by the pastor at 7 o'clock, in the presence merely of the witnesses. The couple will not take any trip at present but will go to housekeeping on Meadow avenue.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Pensyl are well known. The bride is a member of the First Presbyterian church choir and a favorite with a large number of acquaintances. Mr. Pensyl is employed by the West Penn Electric company here and as his wife has made many friends.

CONTRACT FOR LIGHTING BRIDGE

At a meeting of the boards of commissioners of Washington and Westmoreland counties the contract of lighting the Donora-Webster bridge was let to the West Penn Electric company for \$345 a year, each county paying half the amount. Three arc and five incandescent lights will be placed on the bridge.

The Fort Pitt Bridge company of Cannonsburg, which has the contract for the erection of the new Pier bridge at Monongahela, has awarded the masonry to the Dravo Construction company, of Pittsburg. It is expected to begin work on the new bridge within two weeks.

Annual dinner and Supper, Woman's League M. E. church Thursday, March 13th. 17tf

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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RECORD IN ATTENDANCE IS MADE

Grade 1, of Ninth Street Building, Has Every Scholar Present Every School Day of Month.

The Charleroi schools has made an exceptional record for attendance, or it would be more proper to say that the attendance in one room is much above the usual and not only creates a record for the Charleroi schools, but doubtless of a many another city as well. This fact was brought out at the meeting of the school board last night. The attendance in February for this one room, Miss Woodhall's, of the advanced 1st grade in the Ninth Street building was perfect, or 100 per cent. The enrollment is nearly fifty, and composed mainly of little folks.

As suggested in the issue of the Mail last night one of the teachers of the Night School will be dismissed, and possibly two. The falling off of attendance is responsible for this. The matter was taken up at the meeting of the School Board last night, and placed in the hands of the Educational committee to investigate and learn what may be done in the matter. The work in the night school is greatly individual and for this reason requires more work than in a graded school; but if there is no more than twenty-five in attendance one could handle the work all right.

The sum of \$108.15 was reported by Sept. Wright as having been received for tuition from outside pupils. This is for the month of February and previous months. Bills were accepted and ordered paid.

Whereas, The great State of Pennsylvania, by reason of its important inland waterways and ocean port, has heretofore been represented on the Rivers and Harbors Committee; and

Whereas, There occurs several vacancies on this Committee, including the one from our own State, due to the retirement of the present member;

Whereas, The Congressman elect from this district, comprising the counties of Washington, Beaver and Lawrence, is fully qualified to discharge the duties incident to the work of this important committee; living as he does in Charleroi, directly along the Monongahela river, mid-distance of its navigable course, he has made a study of this question so vital to the business interests of Western Pennsylvania; therefore be it

Resolved, That this association,

in regular meeting assembled, do hereby endorse John K. Tener for appointment on the Rivers and Harbors Committee, and the secretary i-

therby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the various like

Associations, Boards of Trade and

committees interested in the subject of waterways throughout the district as well as to Senators Knox and Penrose, urging them to use all honorable means to bring about the appoint-

ment desired.

(Signed), J. H. BOWERS, President.

(Signed), Wm. Kirk, Secretary.

Copies of these resolutions will be

forwarded to Speaker Jos. G. Cannon

and other Representatives from this

section as well as to Senators Knox

and Penrose, and to all the boards of

trade and merchants' associations in

this district.

At the millinery store of Mrs.

Stella Carroll on McKean avenue and

Fourth street last evening, was held

the spring opening there being a large

number attending. The rooms were

open from 6:30 until 10:30 and during

that time there was a constant stream

of humanity passing through glancing

at the beautiful creations, the work

of the millinery department, of which

Miss Cora Miles of Pittsburg is the

head. Carnations were given to each

and every visitor.

It is the aim of the new establish-

ment to have all the latest styles of

hats on display at all times.

Both Mrs. Carroll and the milliner,

Miss Miles, as well as all their assist-

ants are experienced, and expect to

make this store one to which all will

come for suggestions in the art of

good dressing.

INDEPENDENTS BEAT EAGLES THREE GAMES

The Independents defeated the

Eagles three games on the Colonial

alleys last night rolling the record

score of the league. J. Jones had

high score with 211 and high average

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Independents.

Myford 138 161

Rickey 181 162 181

C. Jones 150 158 168

Wilson 178 167 160

James 179 169 183

187 890 883

Eagles.

161 163 188

Irose 133 180 166

Simon 145 128

Swickey 152 189 145

Herman 113

Jack 149

123 869 776

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171tf

RESOLUTION LIKED BY MERCHANTS

To Be Presented to Speaker Cannon to Help Secure Place for Mr. Tener on Important Committee

Largely through the efforts of John J. Oates, who set the ball rolling, a movement has been started by the Charleroi Merchants' Association and citizens generally to work for the appointment of Hon. John K. Tener as a member of the Rivers and Harbors committee in Congress. This position was held for several years by Mr. Tener's predecessor, Hon. E. F. Acheson, and as the latter's retirement will leave a vacancy to be filled from Pennsylvania, the river interests are anxious that Mr. Tener shall be appointed.

Definite action was taken Tuesday,

when the board of directors of the

local Merchants' Association adopted a

set of resolutions asking for Mr.

Tener's appointment. This action was

adopted at the regular meeting of the

Association last night, which is en-

thusiastically pushing the movement.

The resolutions are as follows:

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manners it is necessary that they be signed, most invariably bearing the author's signature.

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M. Dooley..... Dunlevy
J. A. Mason..... Lock No. 4, Pa.

March 5 in History.

1770—Boston massacre: citizens killed by British soldiers.

1802—Hippolyte Adolphe Taine, French historian and critic, died; born 1818.

1803—Judge John H. Reagan, sole survivor of Jefferson Davis' Confederate cabinet, died; born 1818.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:32, rises 6:22; moon sets 6:44 a. m.; 9 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing sun's path downward; 4:41 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet, 3½ degrees north thereof; planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise; 12 night Jupiter's outer satellites Nos. 1 and 3 missing, because crossing Jupiter's face in transit.

GOOD EVENING.

Cheerfulness charms us with a spell that reaches into eternity and we would not exchange it for all the soulless beauty that ever graced the fairest form on earth.—Anna Cleaves.

President Taft

Yesterday it was President Roosevelt; today it is President Taft. At shortly after noon yesterday the newly elected president of this great and many bitter personal animosities or glorious nation was formally installed in office, the oath being administered by Chief Justice Fuller of the Supreme Court. The big jolly man who is of Theodore Roosevelt still rests thus placed in the first position of the land should make a good president. Every time a man takes the law into his own hands instead of employing the machinery provided by civilization, he becomes a barbarian and stabs society.

The race problem is so vast that generations must pass before it may be looked upon as settled—if it ever is settled. In the meantime with cool heads and generous hearts all must do their best to improve existing conditions. We believe Mr. Taft will do more than any of his predecessors, but he must be judged sanely.

Almost as much sympathy is wasted on the under dog as on the hen-pecked husband.

One of the spring hats resembles a peach basket. On the heads of some of the girls, of course, the style will be appropriate.

Some fellows imagine that it makes them great to shake hands with a celebrity.

Hon. Walter Reynolds' bill providing for district fairs, sounds to us like a mighty good move. The old county fair is unfortunately a thing of the past in most sections of the state and there, should be something to take its place.

Contracts for 101,000 tons of steel rails have been authorized by the New York Central system as an indication that the managers believe they will need an improved roadbed in the near future. Pittsburgh will not get a large proportion of these contracts, but they will help in bringing about the revival of business, just the same.

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Cleaning Charleroi.

It is a fact as brought out at the reorganization meeting of the Borough council the other night that as regards gambling dens, houses of ill repute and such, Charleroi is a comparatively clean city today, doubtless a little above the average in that respect. The police are ever watchful of such places as briefly enumerated above, and it is this that has kept the city well rid of filth. Charleroi has fewer police than perhaps any place the size in the country but nevertheless these few seem to cover the territory thoroughly. Of course they err, as mortals will, but mainly in cases where it is impossible for them to do otherwise. It is most likely that another officer will be placed on the force in the not far distant future he to be given the hill district to patrol, and this will be another link added the efficiency of the department.

There have been many "knocks" against the present members of the force, but mainly from persons that do not realize the existing conditions, or else from ones who have some personal grievance at the officers.

Electric Sparks.

When a rejected suitor goes and kills himself the girl always is given an opportunity of seeing what a fool she missed marrying.

The Roosevelt policies are to be carried out and Mr. Taft is pledged to it. It is vital to Mr. Taft and to the whole country that they should be carried out. Every honest citizen has it at heart. But they must be carried out with sobriety and integrity in behalf of honest principle and sound government.

By a section of American society today marriage is regarded as a matter of mere convenience or temporary fancy. No sense of obligation of fidelity, of mutual forbearance and sacrifices, of pure and enduring affection, accompanies it.

There have not been many American presidents who have excited so many bitter personal animosities or glorious nation was formally installed in office, the oath being administered by Chief Justice Fuller of the Supreme Court. The big jolly man who is of Theodore Roosevelt still rests thus placed in the first position of the land should make a good president. Every time a man takes the law into his own hands instead of employing the machinery provided by civilization, he becomes a barbarian and stabs society.

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March is a great month this year. We inaugurated a President on the fourth and we ought to celebrate the advent of an Irish republic on the "sixteenth."

HORSES AND DONKEYS.

Early Habits That Domination Have Not Eradicated.

A curious question in evolution was once put to a scientist mounting in the service of the government. "Why is it," some one asked, "that horses shy and donkeys do not?"

The answer was to the following effect:

The ancestors of the horse were accustomed to roam over the plains, where every tuft of grass or bush might conceal an enemy waiting in ambush. In these circumstances the must have time and again saved the lives by quickly starting back or else suddenly jumping to one side when without warning some strange object appeared to them. The habit must indeed been a strong one, seeing that so many years of domestication have not eradicated it.

On the other hand, the donkey is descended from animals that lived among the hills, with the usual precipices and dangerous declivities, and from these conditions, it would appear, there resulted its shyness and sure footedness. The donkey's ancestors were not, then, so liable to sudden attacks from wild beasts and snakes. Moreover, sudden and wild starts would have been positively dangerous to the donkey's foals. Consequently they learned to avoid the characteristic trick of the horse. The habit of eating thistles, peculiar to the donkey, seems also to have been inherited from its ancestors. In the dry, barren localities they inhabited, there was often very little food; therefore they learned to eat the hard, dry and even prickly plants and undergrowth when nothing else presented itself.—New York Tribune.

THE MONTEREY CYPRESS.

Found In Its Wild State In Only Two Spots In The World.

One of the most interesting and picturesque trees in the world, as well as one of the most ancient, is the Cupressus macrocarpa, or Monterey cypress.

Its native habitat is extremely restricted, for it is found in its wild state in only two spots in the wide wide world

—on the edge of a grove of cypresses stretching for a few miles between the bay of Monterey and the bay of Carmel (the latter of which bears a striking resemblance in outline and color to its prototype in the Holy Land) and in a similar spot near Pescadero, a little town lying on the coast between Monterey and San Francisco. The Monterey grove consists of only a dozen or two specimens of large size and most striking appearance. Their trunks are massive and wrinkled with heavy age, while their boughs, gnarled and twisted, grow chiefly on one side away from the stormy winds that have buffeted them for thousands of years. The noble trees are limited to the rocky wind-beaten shore, on which some of them have, but a precarious hold. Hemmed between the slowly encroaching ocean on one hand and a pine forest on the other, their future is exposed to great hazard. It is therefore gratifying to observe that a fair number of thrifty young cypresses are holding their own against the pines for a short distance inland.—Scientific American.

Heads In New Guinea That Look Like Rising Suns.

"One of the most interesting things that came under my observation was the odd manner in which the people wore their hair," said a physician, describing a visit to New Guinea and the leading traits and characteristics of the inhabitants, known as Papuans. "One type wore the hair standing up from the head at a length of seven inches or more. It was trimmed with wonderful regularity and with mathematical accuracy. The hair was greased with cocoanut oil and painted red. At a distance it looked like a rising sun."

Another type of the inhabitants who wear their hair in an unusual fashion was described.

"Starting from the forehead," he said, "the hair is brushed back over the top and hangs down in a single, perfect mat, an intricate jungle I am sure it was never combed, and it was impossible to run the fingers through it. At a distance it looks like a cap with the visor turned downward."

"One other odd type of hairdressing—curls, if you will—was observed on this visit. The hair was gathered at the front and back, then brought together above the head, where it was inclosed in a basket-like cylinder. The end spread out about two inches. Apparently these caps are never removed from the head."—Baltimore Sun.

A Funny Family.

"What makes your hair snap so?" asked the child who was watching his mother comb her hair.

"Electricity," his mother replied.

"We are a funny family," remarked the child after a few moments of thought. "The other day you said papa had wheels in his head, and now you've got electricity in your hair. If you put your heads together you might make an electric motor, mightn't you?"—New York Times.

HOLY GROANING.

The Sin of Worldly Pleasure in the Seventeenth Century.

Buckle gives a graphic picture of the attitude of the Kirk of Scotland to worldly pleasures during the seventeenth century. Cheerfulness, especially when it rose to laughter, was to be guarded against. Smiling might occasionally be allowed; still, being a carnal pastime, it was a sin to smile on Sunday. No husband should kiss his wife and no mother her child on the Sabbath day. Jesting was incompatible with a holy and serious life. The ministers were given much to weeping, groaning and lamentations. One, the Rev. Alexander Dunlop, was noted for his "holy groan." To engage in the frivolous art of writing poems was condemned. Men should not distract themselves with music; dancing was a "serious sin;" joyousness even at a christening was scandal. One should speak and walk with gravity and solemnity; he should not enjoy his dinner; only the ungodly relished food. The great object of life was to be in a state of affliction. Whatever pleased the senses was to be suspected. Whatever was natural was wrong. The churchmen grew sour in countenance, harsh in voice. Joy and love disappeared or were forced to hide in obscure corners.

MAN MONEY.

The Old Teutonic Law on Killing or Injuring Others.

The system of atoning for death or bodily injuries inflicted on others by paying damages is as old as the earliest Teutonic laws, praised by Tacitus. The trespasser was always required to make peace with the aggrieved family of the victim by "Wer-Geld."

"Wer" is the ancient German for man. "Geld," now, as in the days of Wotan, means money.

Damages were assessed in accordance with the rank and wealth of the injured party, and the money was paid over in the presence of the whole community, its acceptance forestalling feuds. Indeed, the recognition of Wer-Geld ("money for the man") killed by law precluded further bloodshed or other forms of revenge.

If the slayer was not rich enough to pay the required sum, he turned over to the injured parties his sons as slaves. If his sons were not sufficient guarantee for the payment of the debt, the slayer himself had to turn bondsman. Both the letter and the spirit of the law requiring that the full amount of damage inflicted be recovered by the aggrieved parties—New York World.

Fulfilling His Agreement.

Having become tired of living in rented houses, Mr. Gwimble had bought a home of his own. Not having enough money to pay for it outright, he had made a cash payment of \$1,000 and given a trust deed on the property for the remainder. One night, not long after he had taken possession of his new home, Mrs. Gwimble roused him from a deep sleep.

"Gerald," she said, "somebody is trying to get into the house."

Mr. Gwimble crawled out of bed and started downstairs.

"What are you going to do?" she asked him.

"I'm going to let him in," he answered, half awake.

"To let him in? Who?"

"The man that holds the trust deed on this property," he mumbled. "The document I signed binds me to admit him to the premises at any hour of the day."—Youth's Companion.

Too Much For His Mind.

"My first impulses," wailed the sad-eyed individual, "are invariably good in fact, I think that I may venture without fear of undue exaggeration to say that they are very good. But I never act on them. I always act on second thoughts. This trait in my character has ruined my career, because my second thoughts are always bad in fact, I think I may say without fear of misrepresentation that they're punk."

"Well," suggested he who was listening, "why don't you wait until third thoughts and act on them?"

Mourfully, despondently, the sad-eyed individual shook his head.

"My dear sir," he groaned, "I never had three successive thoughts about anything in my life!"—Exchange.

At His Own Risk.

Call for crutches and with a bandage over one eye—I have come, sir, to make application for the amount due on my accident insurance policy. I fell down a long flight of stairs the other evening and sustained damages that will disable me for a month to come.

Manager of Company—Young man, I have taken the trouble to investigate your case, and I find you are not entitled to anything. It could not be called an accident. You certainly knew the young lady's father was at home.

An Old Saw Strikes a Nail.

Mr. Scrapington (musingly)—As Lincoln said, a man may fool some of the people all the time and all the people some of the time. Mrs. Scrapington (drily). But you can't fool me any of the time! I'm

thick silence.—Pittsburg Press.

Pretty Unpopular.

Wigg-Bjones doesn't seem to be very popular. Wigg—should say not. Why, that fellow is so unpopular he couldn't even get a job as a bill collector.—Philadelphia Record.

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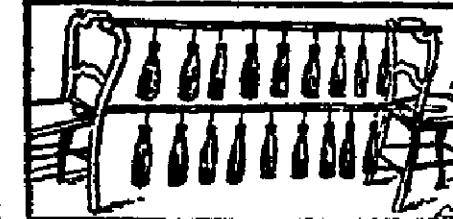
Young Folks

MUSICAL BOTTLES.

Odd Instrument on Which Tunes May Be Played.

An odd and not unmelodious musical instrument may be constructed of ordinary glass bottles partly filled with water. The accompanying cut shows the arrangement. It consists simply of two broom handles resting on the back of two chairs, from which the bottles are suspended by means of strings tied to the neck.

Of course it takes a good ear for music to "tune" the bottles, which is



INSTRUMENT COMPLETE.

done by putting more or less water in each. It is said that all the tones and their octaves, including the sharps and flats, may be thus reproduced.

The instrument is played by means of two sticks—drumsticks are best—with which the bottles are struck. Two parts of an air may easily be played, and there may be two performers, one playing on each side.

A similar arrangement may be made with glass tumblers, as is well known, but this bottle device is more unique and striking. The notes are soft and melodious and pleasant to listen to.—Chicago News.

NAME OF THE MONTH.

A Jolly Game That Is Sure to Induce Much Laughter.

Line up, every boy and girl of you, on one side of the room, and each take the name of a month in order, from January to December.

If there are not twelve of you, then take the months' names as far as they will go, and when your leader stands up in front of you and points her finger at a child and says, "Happy New Year, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10," the boy or girl must answer, "March, march, march!" if that is her name before the "ten" is said.

It is like "bird, beast or fish"—isn't it?—only different for this reason, you must not laugh. That is where the fun comes in, because you know you will laugh when you try hard not to, just as sure as you live!

Try it and see, and remember, if you smile or forget to say the name of your month three times you must face the line and point your finger at some other mouth and make her laugh.

About the Clove.

Children, how many of you know where the clove comes from? It is the flower bud of an evergreen tree. When the flowers are in full bloom they are a brilliant red. The little ball at the top of the clove is formed of the curled up petals. At first the buds are a pale green; then they become red. As soon as they become this color they are ready for picking and drying. The trees from which cloves are obtained are natives of the Moluccas, or Spice Islands. The trade in cloves once formed the basis of great fortunes in more than one nation. About the close of the eighteenth century the clove tree was transplanted in other countries than the Spice Islands, and now a great part of the commerce in cloves is carried on in Zanzibar. The word clove comes from the French word clou, which means a nail. Doubtless the round, hard head caused its name, as it somewhat resembles a small nail.

The Sundew.

A striking illustration of the adaptation of plants to their surroundings is shown in the sundew. This plant flourishes in boggy places; but, being fleshy in nature, it needs nitrogen, sulphur and other means of sustenance that the boggy soil cannot supply, for these substances have been dissolved out of it. Here nature steps in and gives the needed elements to the plant by feeding it with insects whose bodies contain those elements. It has glands that secrete a viscid fluid that glitters like dewdrops, and this fluid attracts and holds the insects. After an insect is caught the glands curve inward, thus preventing it from escaping, and the leaf digests it.

To Bring Back a Card.

After you have shuffled the pack and placed it upon the table you let any person draw forth the lowest card, of which there should be two alike at the bottom of the pack. Tear it in small pieces and draw them out of the window. You then assure the company that the pieces just thrown out will join themselves together and return as a whole to the pack. You raise the window and call, "Come, come, come!" Then approach the table, assuring your spectators that the mutilated card has returned complete to its old place in the pack, and let them satisfy themselves that such is the fact.

Conundrums.

What is the most difficult river on which to procure a boat? Arno, because there Arno boats there.

What is the difference between a tramp and a down quill? One is hard up, the other is soft down.

What is the difference between a hen and a music lover? One lays at pleasure, and the other plays at leisure.

Why is a fiddler like a hen? Because they both have to scratch for a living.—Philadelphia Ledger.

ON A MODERN WARSHIP.

The Feelings of a Commander as Described by Himself.

How the commander of a modern big American battleship can feel is disclosed in the following, taken from a letter written by such an officer:

"There are more than 900 men on this ship, and on the theory that an official of the government is a servant of the people I am the servant of these 900 men and am bound to see that they are kept in food and clothing and baseball bats and abundantly supplied with occupation. Perhaps I should feel more independent if I didn't have to listen respectfully to the orderly every time he comes in and makes one of his infinitely numerous reports and put men in jail when I don't want to.

"Some of these 900 men look more dignified and independent than I feel. I wonder whether I look dignified and independent. I suppose I ought to do so, for to swing a steel mass 304 feet long successfully around like monsters and to make 15,000 tons writhe around the corners of narrow channels is something of an art, after all, and one not possessed by many of the inhabitants of the globe.

"With all that swinging of steel monsters around there go the responsibility and the knowledge that if the ship runs aground the whole civilized world will be acquainted with it inside of twenty-four hours."

DEADLY HORNETS.

The Ones That Buzzed About the Young Soldier's Ears.

A great general was taking his regiment into action. He sent forward a detail of men to make gaps in a rail fence to avoid the heavy loss sure to result if the whole body of men paused to tear it down.

The coolest and finest man in the detail was a young soldier who had never been under fire before. When he began pulling down the fence he fancied he had disturbed a nest of hornets, as he thought he heard them singing fiercely about his ears. But the lad was not going to run from hornets when there was more serious business ahead.

Ignoring the angry insects, he opened the fence and rejoined the regiment without being stung.

In a day or two he was surprised to hear that he was to be promoted.

"But," he said modestly, "I don't think I deserve promotion over the others."

"My boy," replied the general, "I saw you pull down that fence. You were the coolest man under fire I ever saw."

The man gasped, stared and turned pale.

"What?" he exclaimed, regardless of grammar. "Was them wasps bullets?"

Lacking Warmth.

"The critics all say that my pictures lack warmth."

"Do you work in oils?"

"Yes."

"Then why not paint in a few oil gloves?"—New York Times.

OUR FIRST MUSTANGS.

They Were Probably Brought to This Country by the Spaniards.

The first horses of the western plains were probably brought there by the Spaniards. In 1540, almost fifty years before Jamestown was settled, Coronado, the Spanish captain, was roaming about the plains of New Mexico, and he tells of the dogs used by the Indians to haul their plunder on log sledges, indicating that they had no horses at that date.

In 1716 the Spanish again worked their way eastward across the plains, and their letters tell of the astonishment of the Indians at seeing the horses they had with them. The expedition was constantly losing horses, and there is little doubt that the first drives of western horses originated from these strays.

In the early days upon the plains they were a great pest to travelers. Woe be unto the luckless camper who allowed a band of wild horses to get close enough to his gentle horses, turned out for the night, to sweep them off. It was almost useless to follow, for the call of the wild comes to the gentlest of horses when he is thrown with a band of his kind that have been born and raised free of all restraint. It is a well known fact that the hardest one to "cut out," the leader of them all in a mad race across the prairie, is the old, gentle, well broken saddle or work horse once he gets a taste of such freedom.—W.H.C. Barnes in McClure's.

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Last Day of the Great Remodeling Sale!

SATURDAY is your last chance to buy the big valves we have been offering to reduce our stock to the very lowest point before we make the changes in our departments.

Besides the Remodeling Sale Bargains there will be hundreds of good items in the new goods that have just come in.

Sale of Hand Bags

We have a good bit too many ladies' fine leather hand bags and shopping bags. Beautiful quality and most carefully and thoroughly made. They range in price from \$1.00 to \$7.50 and we have put them on a big center table and marked them so cheap that every one that sees them will feel able to buy.

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The new spring stock is here. Very swell and attractive. We only ask \$1.00 and \$1.50, but that don't give any idea of how nice they are.

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Folded silk four - in-hand ties for 29c that should sell for 50c. All new and big lot to choose from.

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The nicest Hair Ribbons you ever saw at any price. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches wide, Heavy stiff silk, that stands right where you put it. All colors special price 25c.

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We are large dealers in Real Hair Switches. We have all grades and shades. We will take any special for anything we do not carry. Prices, \$1.50 to \$4.50.

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Plenty of winter yet, too—plenty of chances yet to wear good, heavy garments—but only a short time to get them at our prices.

We have forgotten the prices of our Winter Clothes—we will sell all our winter stock at prices that will pay you to look into.

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OBJECTIONS TO "DETECTIVE" SIBE

A surprise was sprung yesterday afternoon in the matter of the application of ex Coroner W. H. Sipe for a detective license, when an opposition against the granting of the license to Mr. Sipe was presented to the court at Washington by the "Citizens League" of Washington county. The action is not directed against Mr. Sipe particularly, but against the entire private detective business of the county. They not only ask the refusal of the application of Mr. Sipe but all other such applications. They aver that additional detective agencies are not necessary for the preservation of the peace and good order of the community.

It was generally thought that the application of Mr. Sipe would be granted without a word of protest against it, considering his effective work as a coroner of the county for six years and the detective work he did in connection with that office. Also that Mr. Sipe is generally considered a very cool man for the office of a private detective. His attorneys will fight the protest made against Mr. Sipe. Underwood and Meloy represent him.

Personal Mention

Mrs. Emrick left this morning for Urbana, being called there by the serious illness of a relative.

L. Collins is transacting business today in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Mrs. W. H. Calvert of Fallowfield avenue are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Dennis Oates is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Mr. J. D. Berryman of J. D. Berryman and Son has returned from New York and the Eastern markets where he has been buying spring goods for the past two weeks.

The High Flyers will hold forth in a series of clever surprises from a burlesque point of view at the Coyle Theatre Saturday, March 6th. The High Flyers is one of the oldest and best of the many similar attractions now touring the country, and each year hundreds of new patrons are added to the already long list of admirers, because the public knows for a surety that the management always maintains the organization up to the highest possible pitch of excellence. It is very pleasing to gaze upon pretty women, and all the female members of The High Flyers have beauty, youth and vivacity. The curtain raiser is called "Levy Among the Daisies," and gives full scope for the comedians to display their versatility.

The olio consists of the following well known artists: Schuster and Cole in a Bunch of Nonsense; Florence Hughes Character Sobrette; Paula, the girl on the bars; Pinard and Many, Musical Comedians; 3 Dancing Coles.

The performance will conclude with an up-to-date satire entitled "The Wild West," magnificently costumed and with appropriate scenic and electrical contrivance.

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"I think," said the woman, "that you may give me one life size."—New York Times.

Poor Stuff. The Servant—You got cheated when you bought that chin vase, moon. The Mistress—How cheated? The Servant—Why, it's weak. It busted all to smash the first time I dropped it—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

It isn't enough to pay as you go. You ought to save enough to pay your way back—Pittsburgh Gazette.

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Local Brigade Creates Quite a Sensation and Receive Cheers

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Special to Effect That Brigade Members Are Enjoying Themselves to Utmost

"All the boys are in good shape after parade and having biggest time ever. Will be home Sunday night eleven thirty."

Capt. R. Dale Jolliffe.

This was the message received this morning by the Charleroi Mail, it being a special dispatch from Washington, D. C. This interesting bit of news while not getting here until 8:34 this morning owing to the condition of the Western Union wires, was received with enthusiasm, when the bulletin was posted. The word was sent last night, but failed to get through.

In the parade yesterday the Charleroi Brigade made quite a sensation, it being rather odd for a Boy's Brigade going the distance, having such a good place in the parade as did the local boys. They were heartily cheered all along the line of march. The city papers gave them special mention.

Today the Boys are sightseeing and enjoying themselves in various ways. They may drill somewhat. The start on the homeward trip will be made sometime Sunday morning. At Pittsburgh it is expected to connect with the midnight train for the valley and come up this way.

LIQUOR AGENT IS SENTENCED

For selling liquor without license at the model mining town of the world, Marianna, Pasqua Sogeoanna was sentenced yesterday by Judge McIlvaine to serve three months in the county jail pay the costs of prosecution and a fine of \$200. Sogeoanna entered a plea of guilty to the charge. The information was made by Wilbur W. Swihart.

The arrest of Sogeoanna was brought about by the sudden disappearance of William Swihart, a blacksmith of Marianna, on Tuesday night, February 16. After the disappearance an investigation showed that the blacksmith had been in the speakeasy of Sogeoanna on that night and that he had purchased whiskey and wine from him.

Wilbur Swihart, a brother of the missing man, at once made the information against Sogeoanna and his arrest followed.

Nonpareil Furniture Polish, regularly sold at 35c. This week for 15c only one bottle to a customer. Correll and Crowley, Theatre Bldg., McKean Avenue.

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CROWD SHOUTS APPRECIATION OF TENER'S ACTION

Greatly Presents Diminutive Drum Major to the President.

Congressman John K. Tener of Charleroi made the heart of one little chap glad yesterday, and made him feel that he was the most important little personage in the whole world.

Mr. Tener met the Lincoln Club of New Brighton, with which he was to march, at the reviewing stand, at Washington, yesterday afternoon. This organization was led by Master Clifford Trouteter, a diminutive person, of but 10 years of age, as drum major. Mr. Tener stopped the club for an instant, and with a smile at the little fellow seized him and bearing him aloft presented him to President Taft, who greatly taken with the scene, most heartily shook hands with him. The immense crowd shouted its appreciation of the little affair.

When Mr. Tener let Master Trouteter down on his feet again, the lad went on with his company but with a glowing smile, and the feeling that he was the supporter of Mr. Tener through thick and thin.

Pensyl-Gouzie.

At the residence of Rev. J. L. Hackett pastor of the First Presbyterian church last evening a quiet wedding, that of Miss Virginia Gouzie and Mr. W. E. Pensyl occurred. The ceremony was performed by the pastor at 7 o'clock, in the presence merely of the witnesses. The couple will not take any trip at present but will go to housekeeping on Meadow avenue.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Pensyl are well known. The bride is a member of the First Presbyterian church choir and a favorite with a large number of acquaintances. Mr. Pensyl is employed by the West Penn Electric company here and as his wife has made many friends.

CONTRACT FOR LIGHTING BRIDGE

At a meeting of the boards of commissioners of Washington and Westmoreland counties the contract of lighting the Donora-Webster bridge was let to the West Penn Electric company for \$345 a year, each county paying half the amount. Three arc and five incandescent lights will be placed on the bridge.

The Fort Pitt Bridge company of Cannonsburg, which has the contract for the erection of the new Pier bridge at Monongahela, has awarded the masonry to the Dravo Construction company, of Pittsburgh. It is expected to begin work on the new bridge within two weeks.

Annual dinner and Supper, Woman's League M. E. church Thursday, March 18th. 170ft

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The Charleroi schools has made an exceptional record for attendance, or it would be more proper to say that the attendance in one room is much above the usual and not only creates a record for the Charleroi schools, but doubtless of a many another city as well. This fact was brought out at the meeting of the school board last night. The attendance in February for this one room, Miss Woodhall's, of the advanced 1st grade in the Ninth Street building was perfect, or 100 per cent. The enrollment is nearly fifty, and composed mainly of little folks.

As suggested in the issue of the Mail last night one of the teachers of the Night School will be dismissed, and possibly two. The falling off of attendance is responsible for this. The matter was taken up at the meeting of the School Board last night, and placed in the hands of the Educational Committee to investigate and learn what may be done in the matter. The work in the night school is greatly individual and for this reason requires more work than in a graded school if there is no more than twenty-five in attendance one could handle the work all right.

The sum of \$108.15 was reported by Sept. Wright as having been received for tuition from outside pupils. This is for the month of February and previous months. Bills were accepted and ordered paid.

SPRING OPENING OF NEW MILLINERY

Many Flock to Establishment of Mrs. Stella Carroll

Last Evening

At the millinery store of Mrs. Stella Carroll on McKean avenue and Fourth street last evening, was held the spring opening there being a large number attending. The rooms were open from 6:30 until 10:30 and during that time there was a constant stream of humanity passing through glancing at the beautiful creations, the work of the millinery department, of which Miss Cora Miles of Pittsburgh is the head. Carnations were given to each and every visitor.

It is the aim of the new establishment to have all the latest styles of ladies hats on display at all times. Both Mrs. Carroll and the milliner, Miss Miles, as well as all their assistants are experienced, and expect to make this store one to which all will come for suggestions in the art of good dressing.

INDEPENDENTS BEAT EAGLES THREE GAMES

The Independents defeated the Eagles three games on the Colonial alleys last night rolling the record score of the league. J. Jones had high score with 214 and high average with 103 2-3. Score: Independents.

Eagles.

Myford 133 164

Companion 164 163 188

Irose 133 180 166

Simon 145 178

Swickey 132 189 145

Herman 113

Jack 149

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RESOLUTION LIKED BY MERCHANTS

To Be Presented to Speaker Cannon to Help Secure Place for Mr. Tener on Important Committee

Largely through the efforts of John S. Oates, who set the ball rolling, a movement has been started by the Charleroi Merchants' Association and citizens generally to work for the appointment of Hon. John K. Tener as a member of the Rivers and Harbors committee in Congress. This position was held for several years by Mr. Tener's predecessor, Hon. E. F. Abeson, and as the latter's retirement will leave a vacancy to be filled from Pennsylvania, the river interests are anxious that Mr. Tener shall be appointed.

Definite action was taken Tuesday when the board of directors of the local Merchants' Association adopted a set of resolutions asking for Mr. Tener's appointment. This action was adopted by the regular meeting of the Association last night, which is enthusiastically pushing the movement. The resolutions are as follows:

Whereas, The great State of Pennsylvania, by reason of its important inland waterways and ocean port, heretofore has been represented on the Rivers and Harbors Committee; and

Whereas, There occurs several vacancies on this Committee, including the one from our own State, due to the retirement of the present member;

Resolved, That this association, in regular meeting assembled, doth heartily endorse John K. Tener for appointment on the Rivers and Harbors Committee, and the secretary is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the various like associations, Boards of Trade and committees interested in the subject of waterways throughout the district as well as to Senators Knox and Penrose, urging them to use all honorable means to bring about the appointment desired.

(Signed) J. H. Bowers, President. (Signed) W. A. Kirk, Secretary.

Copies of these resolutions will be forwarded to Speaker Jos. G. Cannon and other Representatives from this section as well as to Senators Knox and Penrose, and to all the boards of trade and merchants' associations in this district.

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Following the adoption of this resolution, the regular social committee consisting of Frank McClure, John Umbel and J. B. Schafer, will be present advancing a system for credit and collection and the rating of customers, by the different stores. The matter was something that appealed to the merchants and it was discussed to much length. No action was taken however.

One new member, Louis Rosenblom was admitted to the association.

Following the business session a social time was held at which a lunch was served. The committee in charge of this was the regular social committee consisting of Frank McClure, John Umbel and J. B. Schafer.

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1770—Boston massacre, citizens killed by British soldiers

1802—Hippolyte Adolphe Taine, French historian and critic died; born 1818.

1905—Judge John H. Reagan, sole survivor of Jefferson Davis' torched cabinet, died; born 1818

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:52, rises 6:22, moon sets 6:44 a. m., 9 p. m., planet Mercury at descending node, crossing sun's path downward, 4:41 a. m., moon in conjunction with Jupiter, passing from west to east of the planet 34 degrees north thereof, planet Mercury visible low in east before sunrise, 12 nights Jupiter's outer satellites No. 1 and 2 missing, because crossing Jupiter's face to transit

GOOD EVENING.

Cheerfulness charms us with a spell that reaches into eternity and we would not exchange it for all the souless beauty that ever graced the fairest form on earth.—Anna Cleaves.

President Taft

Yesterday it was President Roosevelt; today it is President Taft. At shortly after noon yesterday the newly elected president of this great and glorious nation was formally installed in office the oath being administered by Chief Justice Fuller of the Supreme Court. The big jolly man who is thus placed in the first position of the land should make a good president one who is worthy to be the successor of the indomitable Roosevelt, whose policies he has practically agreed to carry out. Taft is perhaps as able a man to handle the reins of government as any man of the day for his training in the past few years has fitted him for the duties to which he must give attention.

President Roosevelt has made many enemies while in office by his progressive and hasty mannerisms, but at the present date he is one of the most popular men among the people of the United States. He has done things which many of his predecessors have failed or feared to do. His courage in the attacking single handed trusts, and corporations which have failed to live up to the letter of the law is well known and the good he has done in this is also familiar to the people. If Taft does not do anything more than follow in Roosevelt's footsteps he will be a good president but we think with the conditions as they are he will do more.

Improved Conditions.

The shipments of coal for the first two months through Lock No. 4, show that there is a continual increase of the black diamonds by manufacturers where they can be shipped by river. In many places the business conditions are still bad, not having recovered from the recent financial depression, and the large shipments of coal is a sign of better things to come. In Charleroi business has not yet regained its normal condition, although it is near that what it was before anyone thought of panic, and in the

next year doubtless if everything goes as it is expected in the Nation we will again have the feeling of much prosperity. The banks had one very noticeable effect—it made financiers much more careful in their speculations. It is thought that very soon after the country gets acquainted with Mr. Taft, it will assure the normal conditions throughout.

Cleaning Charleroi.

It is a fact as brought out at the reorganization meeting of the Borough council the other night that as regards gambling dens, houses of ill repute and such, Charleroi is a comparatively clean city today, doubtless a little above the average in that respect. The police are ever watchful of such places as briefly enumerated above, and it is this that has kept the city well ridden of filth. Charleroi has fewer police than perhaps

nevertheless these few seem to cover the territory thoroughly. Of course they err, as mortals will, but mainly in cases where it is impossible for them to do otherwise. It is most likely that another officer will be placed on the force in the not too distant future to be given the bill district to patrol, and this will be another line added the efficiency of the department.

There have been many "knocks" against the present members of the force, but mainly from persons that do not realize the existing conditions, or else from ones who have some personal grievance at the officers.

Electric Sparks.

When a rejected suitor goes and kills himself the girl always is given an opportunity of seeing what a fool she missed marrying.

with words of encouragement for the good work. He reminds any who may imagine such exposures harmful to the community, that Missouri was never so prosperous as since the war on graft was begun there.

March is a great month this year. We inaugurated a President on the fourth and we ought to celebrate the advent of an Irish republic on the "sixteenth."

HORSES AND DONKEYS.

Early Habits That Domestication Have Not Eradicated

A curious question in evolution was once put to a scientist brominent in the service of the government. "Why is it," some one asked, "that horses shy and donkeys do not?"

The answer was to the following effect:

The ancestors of the horse were accustomed to roam over the plains where every tuft of grass or bush might conceal an enemy waiting in ambush. In these circumstances the

horses by quickly starting back or else suddenly jumping to one side who without warning some strange object appealed to them. The habit may have indeed been a strong one, seeing that so many years of domestication have not eradicated it.

On the other hand, the donkey is descended from animals that lived among the hills, with the usual precipices and dangerous declivities and from these conditions it would appear, it more resulted its slowness and surefootedness. The donkey's ancestors were not liable to sudden attacks from wild beasts and snakes. Moreover sudden and wild starts would have been possibly dangerous to the donkey's foals.

Consequently they learned to avoid the characteristic kick of the horse. The habit of eating thistles peculiar to the donkey, seems also to have been inherited from its ancestors in the dry, barren localities they inhabited there was often very little food; therefore they learned to eat the hard, dry and even prickly plants and undergrowth when nothing else presented itself.—New York Tribune.

THE MONTEREY CYPRESS.

Found in Its Wild State in Only Two Spots in the World.

One of the most interesting and picturesque trees in the world, as well as one of the most ancient, is the Cupressus macrocarpa, or Monterey cypress. Its native habitat is extremely restricted, for it is found in its wild state in

two spots in California, the other in

the bay of Monterey and the city of

Carmel, the latter of which bears a

striking resemblance to the tree and

color to its prototype in the Holy Land

and in a small spot near Pescadero a

little town lying on the coast between

Monterey and San Francisco. The

Monterey cypress consists of only a dozen or two of trees of large size and

most striking appearance. Their trunks

are massive and wrinkled with age,

while their boughs, gnarled and

twisted grow chiefly on one side away

from the stormy winds that have buffeted

them for thousands of years. The

noble trees are limited to the rocky

wind beaten shore, on which some of

them have but a precarious hold

clinging between the rocks, craggy

ocean on one hand and a pine forest

on the other; their future is ex-

posed to great hazard. It is therefore

gratifying to observe that a fair num-

ber of thirty young cypresses are

holding their own against the pines for

a short distance inland.—Scientific

American.

Heads In New Guinea That Look Like Rising Suns.

"One of the most interesting things that came under my observation, was the odd manner in which the people wore their hair," said a physician, de-

scribing a visit to New Guinea and the

leading tribes and their customs and

inhabitants, known as Papuans.

One type wore the hair standing up from

the head at a length of seven inches or

more. It was trimmed with wonderful

regularity and with mathematical ac-

curacy. The hair was greased with

coconut oil and painted red. At a

distance it looked like a rising sun."

Another type of the aborigines who

wear their hair in an unusual fashion

was described.

"Starting from the forehead," he said,

"the hair is brushed back over the

top, and hangs down in a fan-like

shape. It is a perfect mane, an intricate jungle

I am sure it was never combed and it

is impossible to run the fingers through it. At a distance it looks like

a cap worn the visor turned downward.

"Our other odd type of hairdressing

costume, if you will—was observed on

this visit. The hair was gathered at

the front and back then brought to-

gether above the head, where it was

inclosed in a basket-like cylinder. The

end spread out about two inches. Ap-

parently these caps are never removed

from the head."—Baltimore Sun.

A Funny Family.

"What makes your hair snap so?"

"As I am old now, I can't help it," mother comb her hair.

"Electricity," his mother replied.

"We are a funny family," remarked

the child after a few moments of thought.

"The other day you said

papa had wheels in his head, and now

you've got electricity in your hair. If

you put your heads together you

might make an electric motor, mightn't

you?"—New York Times.

HOLY GROANING.

The Sin of worldly pleasure in the Seventeenth Century.

Buckle gives a graphic picture of the attitude of the Kirk of Scotland to worldly pleasures during the seventeenth century. Cheerfulness, especially when it rose to laughter, was to be guarded against. Smiling might occasionally be allowed; still, being a carnal pastime, it was a sin to smile on Sunday. No husband should kiss his wife and no mother her child on the Sabbath day. Jesting was incompatible with a holy and serious life. The ministers were given much to weeping groaning and lamentations. One, the Rev. Alexander Dunlop, was noted for his "holy groan." To engage in the frivolous art of writing poems was condemned. Men should not distract themselves with music; dancing was a "serious sin," joyousness even at a christening was a scandal. One should speak and walk with gravity and solemnity, he should not enjoy his dinner; only the ungodly relished food. The great object of life was to be in a state of affliction. Whatever pleased the senses was to be suspected. Whatever was natural was wrong. The church

in voice. Joy and love disappeared or were forced to hide in obscure corners.

MAN MONEY.

The Old Teutonic Law on Killing or Injuring Others.

The system of paying for death or bodily injuries inflicted on others by paying damages is as old as the earliest Teutonic laws, traced by Tacitus. The trespasser was always required to make peace with the aggrieved family of the victim by "Wer-Geld."

"Wer" is the ancient German for man. "Geld" is now as in the days of Wotan means money.

Punishments were assessed in accordance with the rank and wealth of the injured party, and the money was paid over in the presence of the whole community its acceptance foretelling funds. Indeed, the recognition of Wer-Geld meant for the man killed by law precluded further bloodshed or other forms of revenge.

If the slayer was not rich enough to pay the required sum, he turned over to the injured parties his sons as slaves. If his sons were not sufficient guarantee for the payment of the debt the slayer had to turn himself over to the creditor and the spirit of the law requiring that the full amount of damage inflicted be recovered by the aggrieved parties.

Fulfilling His Agreement.

Having bought a new house, Mr. Grappin had bought a home of his own. Not having enough money to pay for it outright, he had made cash payment of \$1000 and given a trust deed on the property for the remainder. One night, not long after he had taken possession of his new home, Mrs. Grappin roused him from a deep sleep.

"Gerry," she said, "somebody is trying to get into the house."

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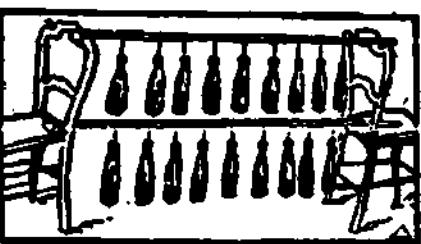
Young Folks

MUSICAL BOTTLES.

Odd instrument on Which Tunes May Be Played.

An odd and not uncommon musical instrument may be constructed of ordinary glass bottles partly filled with water. The accompanying cut shows the arrangement. It consists simply of two broom handles resting on the back of two chairs, from which the bottles are suspended by means of strings tied to the neck.

Of course it takes a good ear for music to "tune" the bottles, which is



INSTRUMENT COMPLETE.

In this illustration, each bottle is said to have a different note, and the tones and their octaves, including the sharps and flats, may be thus reproduced.

The instrument is played by means of two sticks—drumsticks are best—with which the bottles are struck. Two parts of an air may easily be played, and there may be two performers, one playing on each side.

A similar arrangement may be made with glass tumblers, as is well known; but this bottle device is more unique and striking. The notes are soft and melodious and pleasant to listen to.—Chicago News.

NAME OF THE MONTH.

A Jolly Game That Is Sure to Induce Much Laughter.

Line up, every boy and girl of you, on one side of the room, and each take the name of a month in order, from January to December.

If there are not twelve of you, then take the months' names as far as they will go, and when your leader stands up in front of you and points her finger at a child and says, "Happy New Year, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10," the boy or girl must answer, "March, march, march!" if that is her name; but if the "ten" is said,

It is like "bird, beast or fish"—isn't it?—only different for this reason, you must not laugh. That is where the fun comes in, because you know you will laugh when you try hard not to, just as sure as you live!

Try it and see, and remember, if you smile or forget to say the name of your month three times you must face the line and point your finger at some other month and make her laugh.

About the Clove.

Children, how many of you know where the clove comes from? It is the flower bud of an evergreen tree. When the flowers are in full bloom they are a brilliant red. The little ball at the top of the clove is formed of the curled up petals. At first the buds are a pale green; then they become red. As soon as they become this color they are ready for picking and drying. The trees from which cloves are obtained are natives of the Moluccas, or Spice Islands. The trade in cloves has formed the basis of great fortunes in more than one nation. About the close of the eighteenth century the clove tree was transplanted in other countries than the Spice Islands, and now a great part of the commerce in cloves is carried on in Zanzibar. The word clove comes from the French word clou, which means a nail. Doubtless the round, hard head caused its name, as it somewhat resembles a small nail.

The Sundew.

A striking illustration of the adaptation of plants to their surroundings is shown in the sundew. This plant flourishes in boggy places, but, being fleshy in nature, it needs nitrogen, sulphur and other means of sustenance that the boggy soil cannot supply, for these substances have been dissolved out of it. Here nature steps in and gives the needed elements to the plant by feeding it with insects whose bodies contain those elements. It has glands that secrete a viscid fluid that glitters like dewdrops, and this fluid attracts and holds the insects. After an insect is caught the glands curve inward, thus preventing it from escaping, and the leaf digests it.

To Bring Back a Card.

After you have shuffled the pack and placed it upon the table you let any person draw forth the lowest card, or which there should be two alike at the bottom of the pack. Tear it in small pieces and throw them out of the window. You then assure the company that the pieces just thrown out will join themselves together and return as a whole to the pack. You raise the window and call, "Come, come, come." Then approach the table, assuring your spectators that the mutilated card has returned complete to its old place in the pack, and let them satisfy themselves that such is the fact.

Conundrums.

What is the most difficult river to cause them? Arno boats there.

What is the difference between a tramp and a down quill? One is hard up; the other is soft down.

What is the difference between a hen and a music lover? One lays at pleasure, and the other plays at leisure.

Who is a mother like a hen? Because they both have to scratch for a living.

ON A MODERN WARSHIP.

The Feelings of a Commander as Described by Himself.

How the commander of a modern big American battleship can feel is disclosed in the following, taken from a letter written by such an officer:

"There are more than 900 men on this ship, and on the theory that an official of the government is a servant of the people I am the servant of these 900 men and am bound to see that they are kept in food and clothing and baseball bats and abundantly supplied with occupation. Perhaps I should feel more independent if I didn't have to listen respectfully to the orderly every time he comes in and makes one of his infinitely numerous reports and put men in jail when I don't want to."

"Some of these 900 men look more dignified and independent than I feel. I wonder whether I look dignified and independent. I suppose I ought to do so, for to swing a steel main 504 feet long successfully around like monsters and to make 15,000 tons writh around the corners of narrow channels is something of an art, after all, and one not possessed by many of the inhabitants of the globe."

"With the constant swinging of steel monsters around there go the responsibility and the knowledge that if the ship runs aground the whole civilized world will be acquainted with it inside of twenty-four hours."

DEADLY HORNETS.

The Ones That Buzzed About the Young Soldier's Ears.

A great general was taking his regiment into action. He sent forward a detail of men to make gaps in a rail fence to avoid the heavy loss sure to result if the whole body of men paused to tear it down.

The coolest and finest man in the detail was a young soldier who had never been under fire before. When he began pulling down the fence he fancied he had disturbed a nest of hornets, as he thought he heard them singing fiercely about his ears. But the lad was not going to run from hornets when there was more serious business ahead.

Ignoring the angry insects, he opened the fence and rejoined the regiment without being stung.

In a day or two he was surprised to hear that he was to be promoted.

"But," he said modestly, "I don't think I deserve promotion over the others."

"My boy," replied the general, "I saw you pull down that fence. You were the coolest man under fire I ever saw."

The man gasped, stared and turned pale.

"What?" he exclaimed, regardless of grammar. "Was them wasps bullets?"

Lacking Warmth.

"The critics all say that my pictures lack warmth."

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"Then why not paint in a few oil stores?"—New York Times.

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OUR FIRST MUSTANGS.

They Were Probably Brought to This Country by the Spaniards.

The first horses of the western plains were probably brought there by the Spaniards. In 1545, almost fifty years before Jamestown was settled, Coronado, the Spanish captain, was roaming about the plains of New Mexico, and he tells of the dogs used by the Indians to haul their plunder on lode poles, indicating that they had no horses at that date.

In 1716 the Spanish again worked their way eastward across the plains, and their letters tell of the astonishment of the Indians at seeing the horses they had with them. The expedition was constantly losing horses, and there is little doubt that the first droves of western horses originated from these strays.

In the early days upon the plains they were a great pest to travelers. Woe be unto the luckless camper who allowed a herd of wild horses to get close enough to his gentle horses, turned out for the night, to sweep them off. It was almost useless to follow, for the call of the wild comes to the gentlest of horses when he is

away from his master. These animals have been born and raised free of all restraint. It is a well known fact that the hardest one to "cut out," the leader of them all in a mad race across the prairie, is the old, gentle, well broken saddle or work horse once he gets a taste of such freedom.—W.H.C. Barnes in McClure's.

A Queen's Will.

Queen Adelaide, the wife of William IV., was a woman of great piety and exceptional humility, which was shown in the directions for her funeral.

"I die in all humility," she wrote, "knowing well we are all alike before the throne of God, and I request, therefore, that my mortal remains be conveyed to the grave without any pomp or ceremony. They are to be moved to St. George's chapel, Windsor, where I request to have a quiet funeral."

"I particularly desire not to be laid out in state, and the funeral to take place by daylight; no procession, the coffin to be carried by sailors to the chapel. I die in peace and wish to be carried to the tomb in peace and free from the vanities and pomp of this world."—London Home Notes.

Ancient Egyptian Stones.

Stones were formed into the shapes of beetles by the ancient Egyptians. They regarded the beetle as an emblem of immortality, and hence it was the most popular of all forms of ornament. Counterfeit beetles of common stones were commonly buried with dead persons, and it was customary to engrave upon them the expression of wishes for future repose and happiness dedications of the soul to God and various hieroglyphs. One of the latter was a hawk with a human head, symbolizing resurrection. Another, the vulture, meant maternity. A goose was the son of a king.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. Emrick left this morning for Urbana, being called there by the serious illness of a relative.

L. Collins is transacting business today in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. J. W. Carroll and Mrs. W. H. Calvert of Fallowfield avenue are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Dennis Oates is in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

Mr. J. D. Berryman of J. D. Berryman and Son has returned from New York and the Eastern markets where he has been buying spring goods for the past two weeks.

The High Flyers.

The High Flyers will hold forth in a series of clever surprises from a burlesque point of view at the Coyle theatre Saturday, March 6th. The High Flyers is one of the oldest and best of the many similar attractions now touring the country, and each year hundreds of new patrons are added to the already long list of admirers, because the public knows for a surety that the management always maintains the organization up to the highest possible pitch of excellence. It is very pleasing to gaze upon pretty women, and all the female members of The High Flyers have beauty, youth and vivacity. The curtain raiser is called "Levy Among the Daisies," and gives full scope for the comedians to display their versatility.

The olio consists of the following well known artists: Schuster and Cole in a Bunch of Nonsense; Florence Hughes Character Subculture; Paula, the girl on the bars; Pinard and Many Musical Comedians; 8 Dancing Coles.

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